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COMPUTER USING A REMOTE HAND-HELD INTERFACE DEVICE

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In a telephone conference with Mr. C. Feinberg of the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences on December 8, 1998, the undersigned Attorney first discovered that the correspondence address was inadvertently changed by Assignee's in-house Patent Counsel on or about November 22, 1996, with the result that subsequent communications from the Patent Office were not received by the undersigned Attorney for Applicants. Communications from the Patent Office that were not received by the undersigned Attorney for Applicants include:

1. Examiner's Interview Summary, mailed on or about March 17, 1997.

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- An Advisory Action, mailed on or about March 21, 1997. 2.
- Examiner's Answer, mailed on or about October 21, 1997. 3.

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At Mr. C. Feinberg's suggestion, Applicants submit herewith a Declaration by Scott Dunbar stating that the correspondence address was changed by mistake and that a search of Assignee's file found none of the above communications from the Patent Office.

Applicants respectfully request that:

The Correspondence Address for the above-referenced Patent Application be 1. restored to:

> Edward C. Kwok Skjerven Morrill MacPherson Franklin & Friel, LLP. 25 Metro Drive, Suite 700 San Jose, CA 95110.

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- The time period for responding to the Examiner's Answer of October 1997 be 3. reset to begin from the re-mailing date.

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